

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY  
Caption in Compliance with D.N.J. LBR  
9004-1(b)**

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In re:

BED BATH & BEYOND INC., et al.

Debtors.



Order Filed on June 13, 2023  
by Clerk  
U.S. Bankruptcy Court  
District of New Jersey

Case No. 23-13359 VFP

Chapter 11

Honorable Vincent F. Papalia

**ORDER FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE***

The relief set forth on the following page is **ORDERED**.

**DATED: June 13, 2023**

  
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Honorable Vincent F. Papalia  
United States Bankruptcy Judge

This matter having been brought before the Court on application for an Order For Admission Pro Hac

Vice, and the Court having reviewed the moving papers of the applicant, out-of-state attorney, and

considered this matter pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. Proc. 78, D.N.J. L. Civ. R. 101.1 and D.N.J. LBR 9010-1,

and good cause having been shown; it is

ORDERED that Melissa E. Valdez be permitted to appear *pro hac vice*; provided that pursuant to

D.N.J. L. Civ. R. 101.1(c)(4), an appearance as counsel of record shall be filed promptly

by a member of the bar of this Court upon whom all notices, orders and pleadings may be served, and who

shall promptly notify the out-of-state attorney of their receipt. Only an attorney at law of

this Court may file papers, enter appearances for parties, sign stipulations, or sign and receive

payments on judgments, decrees or orders, and it is further

ORDERED that the applicant shall arrange with the New Jersey Lawyers' Fund for Client

Protection for payment of the annual fee, for this year and for any year in which the out of-state attorney

continues to represent a client in a matter pending in this Court in accordance with New

Jersey Court Rule 1:28-2 and D.N.J. L. Civ. R. 101.1, said fee to be deposited within twenty (20)

days of the date of the entry of this Order, and it is further

ORDERED that the \$150.00 fee required by D.N.J. L. Civ. R. 101(c)(3) for *pro hac vice*

admission to the District Court for the District of New Jersey shall also be payable within twenty (20)

days of entry of this Order. Payment in the form of a check must be payable to "Clerk, USDC"

and forwarded to the Clerk of the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey at the

following address:

United States District Court  
District of New Jersey  
Martin Luther King, Jr. Federal Building  
50 Walnut Street  
Newark, N.J. 07102  
*Attention: Pro Hac Vice Admissions*

and it is further ORDERED that the applicant shall be bound by the Local Rules of the United States

District Court for the District of New Jersey and the Local Rules of Bankruptcy

Procedure for the District of New Jersey; and it is further

ORDERED that the Clerk shall forward a copy of this Order to the Treasurer of New Jersey

Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection within 5 days of its date of entry.